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AMENDMENT

Applicant:

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AUTOMATIC GROCERY BAGGER

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED August 12, 2003

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1 1.116

Mail Stop Petition Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following is responsive to the Office Action mailed August 12, 2003. Applicant is submitting herewith a petition to revive (with the required statement and fee), a request for an extension of time to the maximum extendable period for response (with the required fee), a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) (with the required fee). Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the following:

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE CORRESPONDENCE TO WHICH THIS STATEMENT IS AFFIXED IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE, POSTAGE PAID, AS FIRST-CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450,

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

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